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SUBJ: USIA COVERAGE OF VISIT OF GOZ COMMISSIONER

FOR CULTURE (BOKONGA)

PASS USIA FOR DIRECTOR JAMES KEOGH

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1. LOCAL MEDIA COVERAGE OF RECENT VISIT TO U. S. OF GOZ
COMMISSIONER

FOR CULTURE BOKONGA HAS BEEN EXTENSIVE AND COMPREHENSIVE. AS EX-
PLAINED IN REFTEL, THIS WAS VERY IMPORTANT TO US. SUCH COVERAGE WAS
MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH USIA' S UNSTINTING ASSISTANCE. USIS KINSHASA
RECEIVED A STEADY STREAM OF NEWS STORIES, FEATURES, PHOTOS AND FILM
CLIPS. USIA' S CORRESPONDENTS TRAVELING WITH BOKONGA SHOWED UNUSUAL
IMAGINATION, ENTERPRISE AND CREATIVITY, PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF THE
FACT THAT BOKONGA USED THE SAME PREPARED SPEECH BEFORE MANY DIFFERENT
AUDIENCES.

2. I WISH TO EXPRESS MY PERSONAL APPRECIATION TO YOU AND TO
JIM MCGINLEY FOR MAKING POSSIBLE THE BEST EXAMPLE I HAVE EVER
SEEN OF USIA AND CU COOPERATING TO GAIN MAXIMUM BENEFIT FROM AN
IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL VISITOR GRANT.
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